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IN RE APPLICATION OF

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: GROUP ART UNIT: 1615

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EXAMINER: VENKAT, JYOTHSNA

FOR: WAXLESS, NON RINSED,

COSMETIC KERATIN FIBRE OR MAKEUP COMPOSITION

RESPONSE TO REQUIREMENT FOR RESTRICTION

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed November 3, 2006, Applicants elect, with traverse, the subject matter of Group I (claims 31-56). In response to the Election of Species Requirement, Applicants elect, with traverse, the specie of semi-crystalline polymers, particularly stearyl acrylate-N vinylpyrrolidone. Of the non-withdrawn claims, claims 31-56 read on the elected species.

Remarks begin at page 2 of this paper.